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Thesis: Although they were reporting on the political unrest and providing a balanced view from both sides, a group of Al Jazeera journalists were deemed terrorists by the Egyptian government, because a new law stated that anyone distributing information about the Muslim Brotherhood would also be labeled an enemy of the state.

- Journalists Mohammed Fahmy, Peter Grestle, Baher Mohammed and 17 others are accused of airing false news and supporting terrorists.
- They were arrested and imprisoned on December 30 and have been held since.
- This has incited controversy, since they are being held without any proper evidence against them.
- People all over the world have joined the conflict through protesting in person, social networks, and letters and petitions
- The fate of these journalists will be decided on March 5 in a trial